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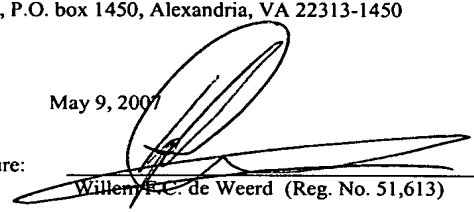
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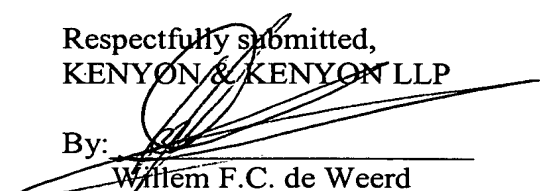
**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is a response to the Office Action mailed February 9, 2007, for the above-identified application.

No fees are believed due. However, if any fees are due the Commissioner is authorized to charge deposit account No. 11-0600 for such fees. A copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2007, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and comments into the file of the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.